# CHI OMEGA FRAT. IN CONVENTION

Delegates From All Over the Country Will Participate in Deliberations.

## ARE PRETTY COLLEGE GIRLS

Local Chapter Has Arranged Elaborate Program to Show Visiting Delegates Points of Interest.

The fourth biennial convention of the Chi Omega Fraternity, which will be held in this city during the week, was opened this morning by a meeting of the supreme governing council at the Shoreham. The Chi Omega has seventeen active and seven alumnae chapters. It covers a territory extending from Virginia to California, from Wisconsi

Delegates from all over the United States have already arrived and it is expected that at least 100 or more will be in attendance at the first regular business meeting, to be held in the asmbly room of the George Washington University tomorrow morning

## Personnel of Local Chapter.

The Phi Alpha Chapter, of this city, composed of Misses Anne Ettenger, Margery Mertz, Mildred Johnston, Eva Field, Edgarda McMullen, Vesta Lock-wood, Ruth Field, Ellen Dunwoody, Jane Mahan, and Nellie Besselievre, have been delegated to act as a recepion committee for the visiting mem

bers.

The convention committee, composed of Misses Amy Greer Thompson, Dorothy Dodge, Pauline Stevenson, Mildred Johnston, and Gladys Ames Brannigan, has arranged an interesting program.

The meeting of the supreme governing council this morning arranged the program to be followed out during the week. The delegates now in Washington will go to Cabin John Bridge this afternoon.

### Social Features.

The social features arranged for the visiting delegates consists of a reception at George Washington University, one at the Shoreham, automobile rides through city, banquet at the Shoreham, trip to Alexandria, Mt. Vernon, Arlington, and Marshall Hall on Saturday, where din-

ner will be served.

The object of the convention now be ing held in this city is to elect new supreme governing councils.

# NO BRAND OF OIL ON TILLMAN'S BROW

## Senator Says Trust Used Undue Influence on Rate Bill.

the country into his confidence about the second rate bill conference, with an explanation which sounded much like a confession of having been buncoed. The Senator was able to locate the in-

This defect in the anti-pass amendment was that it forbade all free passes for certain classes of people—Federal, State, and county officers. It should have said "interstate" passes, because Congress has no power to probibit intrastate passes. The original Senate amendment used the word "interstate;" Senator Cullom, who proceeded to point out that in his judgment it would injure the independents of the word "interstate;" Senator Cullom, who proceeded to point out that in his judgment it would injure the independents of the word interstate; senator Cullom, who proceeded to point out that in his judgment it would injure the independents of the word interstate; senator cullom, who proceeded to point out that in his judgment it would injure the independents of the word interstate; senator cullom, who proceeded to point out that in his judgment it would injure the independents of the word interstate. tor Tillman couldn't tell just at what point the word "interstate" was lost, but he was sure it ought not to have been lost, and fearful that its disappearance might render the whole provision nugatory.

But it was when he discussed the alleged surrender to Standard Oil, on the pipe-line amendment, that the South House the Senate bill providing for an the Master Plumbers' Association has

back and insisting on the restoration of the words 'common carrier' for 'railroad,' in my estimation every man who votes that way will be branded on his forehead with the letters 'S. O.' \* \* I would not sign the report. I do not want anybody to say, 'You have "S. O." on your brow. Ben Tillman ' "

## Recounts Efforts to Influence.

Senator Tillman recounted the efforts Geot that had been made to influence the north conferees in favor of the emission of pipe lines from the application of the commodity section. This section only commodity section. This section originally provided that no common carrier Court northwest. should transport commodities of its own production. Pipe lines were made, by another section, common carriers. So the Standard Oil pipe lines could not transport their own of the could not transport the could not transpo so the Standard Oil pipe lines could not transport their own oil. At once there was a flood of telegrape and letter was a flood of telegrams and letters | Eleanor Castell, 61 years, 1435 Ninth from alleged independent oil producers street northwest. of the country protesting that if this became law it would work irreparable injury on the oil business—independents and Standard allike. It was the protest of the independents that was made excuse for changing the provision, so that, instead of prohibiting all common care. instead of prohibiting all common carriers from handling commodities of their southwest.

Emma Mills, 32 years, 213 H street northwest.

# Rival Isthmian Canal Planned by Colombia



GENERAL REYES,

President of Colombia

Will Seek \$50,000,000 Loan.

Attempts will be made to float loans

of over \$50.000,000 in the European mar-

kets. General Reyes says he is confl

of the Darien canal and would publish an article regarding it.

Ridicules Idea of Reta'iation. Minister Mendoza said resterday in

the St. Felix, in West Twenty-fifth

"It is all news to me. I do not be-lieve the Colombian government has de-cided to build this canal. Advices come

NEW, YORK, June 26 .- Darien, of by the poets, and consisting of that section of the United States of Colombia adjoining the republic of Panama, may yet have the first interoceanic canal, if the plans of high officials at Bogota go

Liformation reached this city yester-day that a strong movement is afoot in the Colombian capital to organize a pleted in six years at an estimated cost of \$76,000,000. Private advices also state that the Colombian government has been assured of the co-operation of the South American republics and that the matter will be laid before the Pan-American conference at Rio de Janeiro next month.

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Dr. Caesar Zumeta, editor of La Semana, a weekly bulletin devoted to Spanish-American affairs, with offices on the twentieth floor.

## Covert Slap at United States.

It is understood that Colombia has started the movement for this canal as a covert slap against the United States for its interest in the creation of Panama and the building of the Panama

The project of an interoceanic canal through Darien is based upon a modififluence that had induced the conferees to leave pipe-lines out of the operations of the commodity section. It was Standard Oil, he said, that had "got in its work" with the conferees. But the influence that had quietly fixed the anti-pass amendment so that it would probably not stand the test of the courts, the Senator said, he couldn't locate. For himself, he had not realized the defect in the provision till it was adopted. He hoped the Senate would disagree, and insist that it be corrected.

Interstate Provision Omitted.

This defect in the anti-pass amend
The Senator was down these rivers that in the Spanish explorer, made that Pizarro, the Spanish explorer, made the pacific by cossing a mountain spur ending at Humboldt bay. The main depth of these two rivers, along the sections to be used, is from thirty-five to forty feet. There will be twenty-one miles of excavation, and a gigantic tunnel two and three-quarters of a mile long.

Claims are made by the promoters that the plans do not present any new engineering problems, and that, as more discussed to build this canal. Advices come slowily, and it may be possible I will receive information concerning this great project my government is said to have decided upon. But I do not think the pacific by cossing a mountain spur ending at Humboldt bay. The main depth of these two rivers, along the Pacific by cossing a mountain spur ending at Humboldt bay. The main depth of these two rivers, along the Pacific by cossing a mountain spur ending at Humboldt bay. The main depth of these two rivers, along the pacific by cossing a mountain spur ending at Humboldt bay. The main depth of these two rivers, along the pacific cation of the original plan of the Atrato

The House Committee on Interstate

TO TAKE TRIP TO EUROPE

Henry C. Berghelmer, manager

DEATH RECORD.

and Foreign Commerce today authorized

# TRUSTS TO COLLECT

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The said that after the combination was formed he tried to buy a bill of goods, and that Thomas Cahill said to him.

## Could Not Sell to Him.

Carolinian was more vehement.

"I will say," he declared, "that if the Senate shall yield to the House in regard to this provision and agree to adopt this report without sending it back and insisting on the restoration. If you go in the association it will be all for one year only.

"I will say," he declared, "that if the House is already on record as favoring such type of canal, but its provision on the subject is in an appropriation bil, which would make it law for one year only.

Walsh at that time owed \$240.83 for goods which he had bought after the combination was formed.

Independent plumbers are jubilant over the decision. They saw that a combination of supply houses has been trying for several years to control the business here, and shut out all competition.

Messrs. Galt & Bro., jewelers, sails for Europe next Saturday on the St. Louis. tion.

Judge Ryan did not render a formal decision, but merely announced the ruling of the court.

### George H. Corey, 66 years, Riggs House, Fifteenth street and G street FIRST MID-WEEK TRIP OF STEAMER QUEEN ANNE

The first of the mid-week Wednesday trips of the steamer Queen Anne of River View will be made tomorrow, that steamer leaving at 10 a.m., 2:30, and 6:30 p. m., and on the afternoon trip, after landing at River View she will make a trip down the river as far as Indian Head. These Wednesday trips to the View are considered especially by the young people, the most delightful of the season, who go to the resort in throngs and spend the day dancing to music by Prof. Arth's Orchestra.

Tomorrow evening the big steamer St. Johns will assist the Queen Anne in carrying the throngs on these trips, and there will be pienty of room for everybody. On the return trip the steamers will stop at River View and will reach home about 10 p. m. The first of the mid-week Wednesday

own production, it prevented only railroads from doing this.

No Independent Oil Concerns.

Senator Tiliman told the Senate he did not believe there were any real independents in the oil business; and if there were any, he did not believe they were playing the Standard's game in this way. He was sure it was simply a surrender to Standard Oil, and he denianded that the Senate reject the conference report.

Senators Balley, Lodge, and others took the same position, urging that the law ought to apply alike to pipe lines and other common carriers. Senator Foraker and Senator Cullom insisted that there were real independents in the conference report.

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George T. Melchoir, 12 days, 1124 E sensions will be continued until Congress adjourns, lasting from 8 until 11 p. m.

# DR. FRAZEE HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Machine Collides With High Embankment and Overturns.

owner. The excavation was about ten ing that he abandoned her and asking feet in depth and was protected by nuthat the suit be dismissed. merous danger lights, but the auto got beyond the control of its driver, was overturned, carrying Dr. Frazee with it to the muddy ditch.

Dr. Frazee was found by Grats Helme, of 1842 Biltmore street, who was return-

Driven to desperation by her financial idition, and under mental stress from marital difficulties, Mrs. Annie Kelly, twenty-five years old, of 508 K street northwest, locked herself in the dining room of the house and tried to commit suicide with a revolver shortly before fruit.

Three loud reports from the pistol said he received Gartrell Sunday afternoon in his ward, where the induced bad here. eighborhood. John Goldberg, one of Mrs. Kelly's boarders, was standing in front of the house when the shots were

In this blanket and asked the patient last Sunday, sayin found a slight bruise on his jaw, the said he was going to cut his throat with it."

"What did Gartrell tell you when he dresser after the shooting, in which said she was tired of living, and her only peace would be found in death. She said her husband had left her and she was broken-hearted, and prayed that a just God might forgive her for the rash deed.

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# BOMB EXPLODES **AMONG SPANIARDS**

stock of the canal and certain tran-chises.

Dr. Caesar Zumeta, editor of La Se-mana, a weekly bulletin devoted to Spanish-American affairs, with offices on the twentieth floor of the Park Row-building, said yesterday that he had re-ceived reliable information of the project of the Darlen canal and would publish MADRID. Spain, June 26.—During a pyrotechnic display last night at Granada, an immense fireworks bomb fell, before exploding, in the midst of a crowd assembled to watch the display. Seventy-two persons were injured, twenty of them being badly hurt. A panic resulted among the spectators and many persons were injured during the rush to escape from the spot.

CHILDREN ROMPING

IN GAY LUNA PARK

Two Sunday Schools Enjoying Nature in Cool Shade of Popular

Pleasure Resort.

by the arms, and Cowling had Gartrell by the neck.

"Both the patient and the attendant were bleeding when I got there," said Mr. Thorne. "One of Gartrell's eyes had blood in it." I think. As soon as we subdued him, I put a straightjacket on him."

"How long did you leave it on him?"

"Tunt it on at 9 o'clock that night. left it on all night, and did not take it off at 6 o'clock the next morning."

"Under whose orders did you put a straitjacket on him?" continued Mr. Hay.

"On my own responsibility."

"But I thought it had been testified here that no straitjacket can be used over there without a doctor's order."

"Who gave you this order?"

"The head attendant."

"And who gave it to him?"

"Why, the doctor, I suppose."

"Who was getting the best of the fight?" asked Chairman Olcott.

"The patient."

Patient Hit Him Suddenly.

in Cool Shade of Popular

One hundred roller swings, scores of saying: bring their fancy work and books and firste as I was sitting in a corner. may thrash themselves out in the encouraging comfort of Mother Nature's sweetest cozy corners, are to add to the

attractiveness of the picnic groves at Luna Park, where five picnics are being held today.

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## Keep Your Eye On "The Nest Egg"

Third of ten irresistibly funny lacobs' stories now running in The Washington Sunday Times. It is a complete story, and it

will appear next Sunday.

# Corey Springs Surprise; Will Contest Divorce

Financial Settlement Off; Mrs. Corey Protected by Old Man Corey's Bulldogs; Mabelle Gilman's Mother Appears.

Speeding along Brightwood avenue last ight about 11:45 o'clock, the automobile on which Dr. John Frazee, of 1539 I street ion, has opposed the suit for divorce. in which Dr. John Frazee, of 1539 I street tion, has opposed the suit for divorce northwest, was riding, crashed into an which his wife brought in Reno, Nev., excavation at Kansas avenue, smashed filing an answer to her petition, denying the machine, and severely injured its that she is a resident of Nevada, deny-

## Corey's Action Surprise.

News of this caused surprise and amazement in Pittsburg social circles. It probably means that the case will be fought out in court and the entire story of Corey's alleged infatuation with Mabelle Gilman, the actress, which in-

word to callers that she would not take about the matter.

Another startling development in the Corey case today was the visit to Pittsburg of Mrs. Gilman, mother of the actress whose charms so fascinated the steel magnate. She called this morning on Mrs. Corey. The object of Mrs. Gilman in seeking an interview with Mrs. Corey is not known. Mrs. Gilman avoided hotels, staying at a private house, in her desire to have her visit unknown, and she refused to talk of it in any way.

## Protects Daughter-in-Law.

of 1842 Biltmore street, who was returning to the city in his machine, and was extricated with some difficulty. Finally he was placed in Mr. Helm's car and brought to Garfield Hospital.

Dr. Frazee sustained several severe cuts on the head and was badly bruised about the body. His condition is not serious.

It was generally believed that the presden only not oppose the suit, but would seek a set lement, and the amount which he was willing to settle on his wife was reduced that his son's wife would make a statement of her side of the case in a few days.

nit an imbecile boy on the head with a broomstick, saying he had been commanded by God to kill the boy.

"At another time he took a pin and covered his body with scratches, tearing from his hands the outer layer of skin. Again he told the doctor that he had taken the top of his skull off and little monkeys had jumped out of his head and danced on his shoulder.

Considered a Dangerous Man.

"We have attendants to watch him

for he is a dangerous man," said Dr.

last evening after the Speaker personal-

ly and earnestly soliciting the support

in the bill.

When the Speaker named the conferees, he gave Mr. Gardner of Massachusetts another whack by not naming
him. He selected as conferees Representatives Howell, Bennett and Rupprt.

TO PRESERVE NIAGARA

HOUSE ADOPTS BILL

## INSANE PATIENT FOUGHT FIERCELY DEATH'S SHADOW

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and both the attendants denied having struck him. George B. Gartrell said his brother's face was so swollen the next day that he could not open his mouth to eat

said he received Gartreil Sunday afternoon in his ward, where the injured man
had been sent for treatment. He said
the patient had bruises on his back and
on his jaw and a scratch across his
nose. Witness did not think the man
was very badly used up.
"Gartrell," he said, "is often violent
and has made threats to fight and kill
other patients. This morning I found a
piece of tin in his blanket and asked
him what he was going to do with it.
He said he was going to cut his throat
with it." Glasscock, "but it is absolutely impossible to keep your eye on a man ever moment of the twenty-four hours."

He then described his examination the patient last Sunday, saying found a slight bruise on his law, sor discolorations of the eyes, and sor scratches on his body, most of the lamentioned having been self-inflicted.

said last Saturday night he had placed a man named Cowling near Gartrell's door. All he knew was that Gartrell was fighting with Cowling some time before he. Thorne, knew of the encounter. He then ran down the long hall and threw Gartrell, his instinct being to help the attendant Cowling. When he arrived, Gartrell had Cowling by the arms, and Cowling had Gartrell by the neck.

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Patient Hit Him Suddenly. D. Cowling, the attendant whom Gartrell attacked, then took the stand,

One hundred roller swings, scores of tables and benches, attractive fish and water fowl in the great reservoir and shady nooks, where the ladies may bring their fancy work and books and bead. He tore both my shirts off. At where the affairs of the young heart could not get up, but when I did get

> "Why?" asked Mr. Smyser. "Because that was the only hold I



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# TIRED OF LIVING

Doctors, However, Saved Life of Young Visitor From Denver.

Because of despendency and ill health, Alfred Harwood, twenty-five years of age, whose home is in Denver, Colo., attempted to commit suicide at an early nour this morning by inhaling illuminating gas at a lodging house, 355 Pennsyl-

Harwood came to Washington from Philadelphia last night on a late train and engaged a room at the lodging house. He seemed to be brooding. He paid for his room and retired at a late

The fumes of gas from Harwood's room were first detected by Annie Chornton, a colored chambermaid, who broke open the door about 11 o'clock to find the man stretched upon the bed the Emergency Hospital and the physicians say he will recover. Harwood, when asked for a reason for his act, said he was tired of life. He says he was employed at the Stratford Hotel,

ANNAPOLIS, June 26 .- A.ter having resisted the attacks of a virulent facial ancer for two weeks without apparent oss of strength, Thomas E. Waggaman has had a decided change for the worse during the night and his death is ex-

# MAURICE C. LATTA ASSISTANT SECRETARY

The new assistant secretary to the President, Maurice C. Latta, of Oklahoma, has received the formal appointment to the office made vacant by the appointment of Benjamin F. Barnes, jr., as postmaster of Washington. Mr. Latta will assume at once the duties of his new position. For several years Mr and confidential stenographer.

Saturday night Postmaster John A Merritt will turn over the postoffice ing the latter will assume formal charge.

to 123.

Then it was that the Speaker got busy. He plead and argued with the members of his party, progressing from desk to desk and gesticulating in flery earnest-ness. In the end, when the vote was taken, the Grosvenor substitute for the educational test was adopted 128 to 116. The head tax was kept at \$2 instead of being raised to \$5, as had been intended in the bill. Senator Kittredge of South Dakota presented in the Senate Committee on Conals this morning a resolution providing that a subcommittee be sent to the Isthmus during recent in order to take testimony. By a vote of six to five it was defeated, Senator Kittredge (Rep.), and Senators Morgan, Tallaferro, Carmack, and Cuiberson (Dem.), supporting it, while Senators Millard, Hapkins, Ankeny, Dryden, P'att, and Knox (Rep.) voted in the negative. The votes of Senators Platt and Knox were cast by proxy.

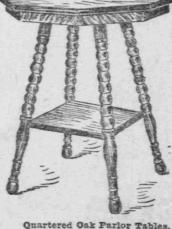
The House today adopted the conference report on the bill to restrict the use of the waters of Niagara Falls, in order to preserve the scenic beauties of the falls. The House today adopted the confer- until

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